

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN**

JOHN CHANTHASIT

Petitioner,

v.

Case No. 16-CV-73

MICHAEL MEISENER,

Respondent.

ORDER

The above-captioned case was recently reassigned to me on the consent of the parties. (Docket # 10.) The Honorable J.P. Stadtmueller has already screened the petition in accordance with Rule 4 of the Rules Governing § 2254 Proceedings and set a briefing schedule. (Docket # 6.) I am adopting the briefing schedule set by Judge Stadtmueller in his Rule 4 Order. Thus,

IT IS ORDERED THAT, consistent with the Rule 4 Order, the respondent is directed to serve and file an answer, motion, or other response to the petition, complying with Rule 5 of the Rules Governing Habeas Corpus Cases, within **THIRTY** (30) days of the date of the Rule 4 Order (dated February 2, 2016).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT unless the respondent files a dispositive motion in lieu of an answer, the parties shall abide by the following schedule regarding the filing of briefs on the merits of the petitioner's claims:

1. The petitioner shall have **SIXTY** (60) days following the filing of the respondent's answer within which to file his brief in support of his petition;

2. The respondent shall have **SIXTY** (60) days following the filing of the petitioner's initial brief within which to file a brief in opposition; and

3. The petitioner shall have **THIRTY** (30) days following the filing of the respondent's opposition brief within which to file a reply brief, if any.

In the event that respondent files a dispositive motion and supporting brief in lieu of an answer, this briefing schedule will be suspended and the briefing schedule will be as follows:

4. The petitioner shall have **THIRTY** (30) days following the filing of the respondent's dispositive motion and supporting initial brief within which to file a brief in opposition;

5. The respondent shall have **FIFTEEN** (15) days following the filing of the petitioner's opposition brief within which to file a reply brief, if any.

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 7(f), the following page limitations apply: briefs in support of or in opposition to the habeas petition or a dispositive motion filed by the respondent must not exceed thirty pages and reply briefs must not exceed fifteen pages, not counting any statements of facts, exhibits, and affidavits.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Clerk of Court shall send the petitioner a copy of Habeas Corpus: Answers to State Petitioner's Common Questions.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 22nd day of February, 2016.

BY THE COURT

s/Nancy Joseph
NANCY JOSEPH
United States Magistrate Judge